



## CHAPTER 5

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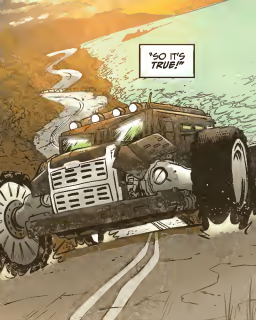
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**"SO IT'S  
TRUE!"**





BEFORE THE  
MENDING, MY FATHER

...THEY

MET TWO TWIN BOYS  
THAT COULD HEAL  
WOUNDS...


EVEN COULD  
MAKE PLANTS  
GROW.



ARTHER ABILITY IT'S



VERY RARE, BUT THEY'RE  
OUT THERE. THE ABILITY TO  
MANIPULATE LIFE AND THE  
DARK MATTER AROUND US.  
A FLIP OF THEIR EMOTION  
AND AETHER DENTS CAN  
BECOME MUCH  
DARKER.



**NETHER.** OUR  
TEACHER WOULD  
MAKE YOU BELIEVE  
IT'S THE ONLY ABILITY  
DENTS HAVE. THAT THEY  
TORTURE... AND KILL.  
**SHE'S TERRIFIED**  
OF DENTS. THEY

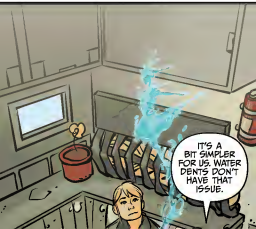
ALL ARE.



IT TAKES A  
VERY DISTURBED  
AETHER DENT TO  
TURN NETHER.







IT'S A  
BIT SIMPLER  
FOR US. WATER  
DENTS DON'T  
HAVE THAT  
ISSUE.





SO EACH  
PAIR OF TWINS  
CAN CONTROL ONE  
ELEMENT? EARTH,  
AIR, FIRE, WATER,  
OR AETHER?

THE  
CLASSICAL  
ELEMENTS. YOU  
SEE THESE  
SYMBOLS, YOU  
KNOW DENTS ARE  
NEARBY.





ENOUGH  
WITH THE  
PUPPET SHOW,  
SAMMY. WE'RE  
HERE.













THE  
SYMBOL.



NEARLY ALL  
ANCIENT CIVILIZATIONS  
BELIEVED IN THESE FIVE  
ELEMENTS. THEY WERE  
THE FUNDAMENTAL SOURCE  
OF UNDERSTANDING OUR

WORLD FOR THOUSANDS  
OF YEARS.

THE  
MINISTRY WOULD  
HAVE YOU BELIEVE  
WE'RE A BIRTH DEFECT.  
LAB RATS THAT DIDN'T  
RESPOND THE WAY THEY  
WERE SUPPOSED  
TO.



I BELIEVE  
THE VACCINATION  
HAS CONNECTED  
DENTS EVEN CLOSER  
TO THIS WORLD. I  
BELIEVE WE ARE THE  
ONES WHO CAN  
SAVE IT.















SO...THE  
CONCRETE AND  
THE GLASS IN THE  
CLASSROOM...THAT  
MEANS MY SISTER  
AND I ARE EARTH  
DENTS?

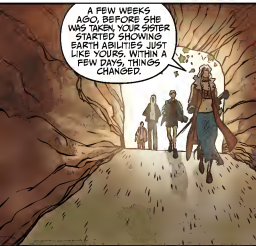


WELL,  
THAT'S  
WHAT WE  
THOUGHT.

...I DON'T  
UNDERSTAND.



A FEW WEEKS  
AGO, BEFORE SHE  
WAS TAKEN, YOUR SISTER  
STARTED SHOWING  
EARTH ABILITIES JUST  
LIKE YOURS. WITHIN A  
FEW DAYS, THINGS  
CHANGED.



A comic book panel depicting a person with dark hair and a blue and white patterned shirt standing in a cave. The cave walls are brown and textured, and a bright light source is visible in the background. Two speech bubbles are present: one on the left containing the text 'I WALKED OUT TO HER PLAYING WITH THE FLAME OF OUR CAMP FIRE. I THOUGHT IT WAS SOME SORT OF A PRANK.' and one on the right containing the text 'THE NEXT MORNING, SHE CAME TO ME AND SHOWED ME SHE COULD SLOW THE TIDE FROM RECEDING.'

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ELEANOR, WE DON'T  
KNOW FOR SURE YET,  
BUT WE THINK YOU AND  
YOUR SISTER MAY BE  
ABLE TO ACCESS ALL  
OF THE ELEMENTAL  
ABILITIES.









WELCOME  
TO BOLINAS,  
ELEANOR.









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